

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q75484

Rakesh TULI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/661,478

Group Art Unit: 1636

Confirmation No.: 9837

Examiner: Michele K. Joike

Filed: September 15, 2003

For: CHEMICALLY SYNTHESIZED ARTIFICIAL PROMOTER FOR HIGH LEVEL  
EXPRESSION OF TRANSGENES AND A METHOD FOR ITS SYNTHESIS

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 10, 2007 to March 10, 2008.

The statutory fee of \$590.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. A two-month extension of time and fees of \$460.00 were previously submitted. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,  
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